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TO AMEMBASSY TOKYO

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SENV, OTRA, JA

SUBJ: EPA INSPECTION OF JAPANESE VEHICLE MANUFACTURERS

REF: (A) TOKYO 11728; (B) TOKYO 11751

1. EPA UNDERSTANDS IMPORT OF REF A AND WILL ENSURE IN FUTURE, IF OTHER INSPECTION TRIPS NECESSARY, THAT IT WILL GIVE EMBASSY EARLIER NOTFICATION SO THAT IT AND GOJ WILL HAVE AMPLE TIME TO CONSIDER AND COMMENT. EPA DID NOT CONTACT GOJ EMBASSY ABOUT VISIT.

2. WITH RESPECT ABC NEWS REQUEST (REF B), EPA POSITION IS THAT PRESS COVERAGE FILMING, PICTURE TAKING, INTERFIEWS) NOT RPT NOT NECESSARY AND PROBABLY NOT DESIRABLE IN LIGHT GOJ SENSITIVITY TO ISSUE. EPA PREFERS TO KEEP LOW PROFILE  
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ON SINSPECTION TRIPS AND THUS WOULD NOT RPT NOT WISH ANY HIGHLY

VISIBLE COVERAGE. IT WILL ACCEDE TO REQUEST IF GOJ - FOR WHAT-  
EVER - WISHES TO PUBLICIZE EVENT.

3. INSPECTION TEAM WILL CONTACT ACTING SCICOUNS O'CONNELL  
ON ARRIVAL FOR STATUS BRIEFING AND EMBASSY GUIDANCE. RUSH

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## Message Attributes

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